

# Roosevelt Construction Open House

January 29, 2013

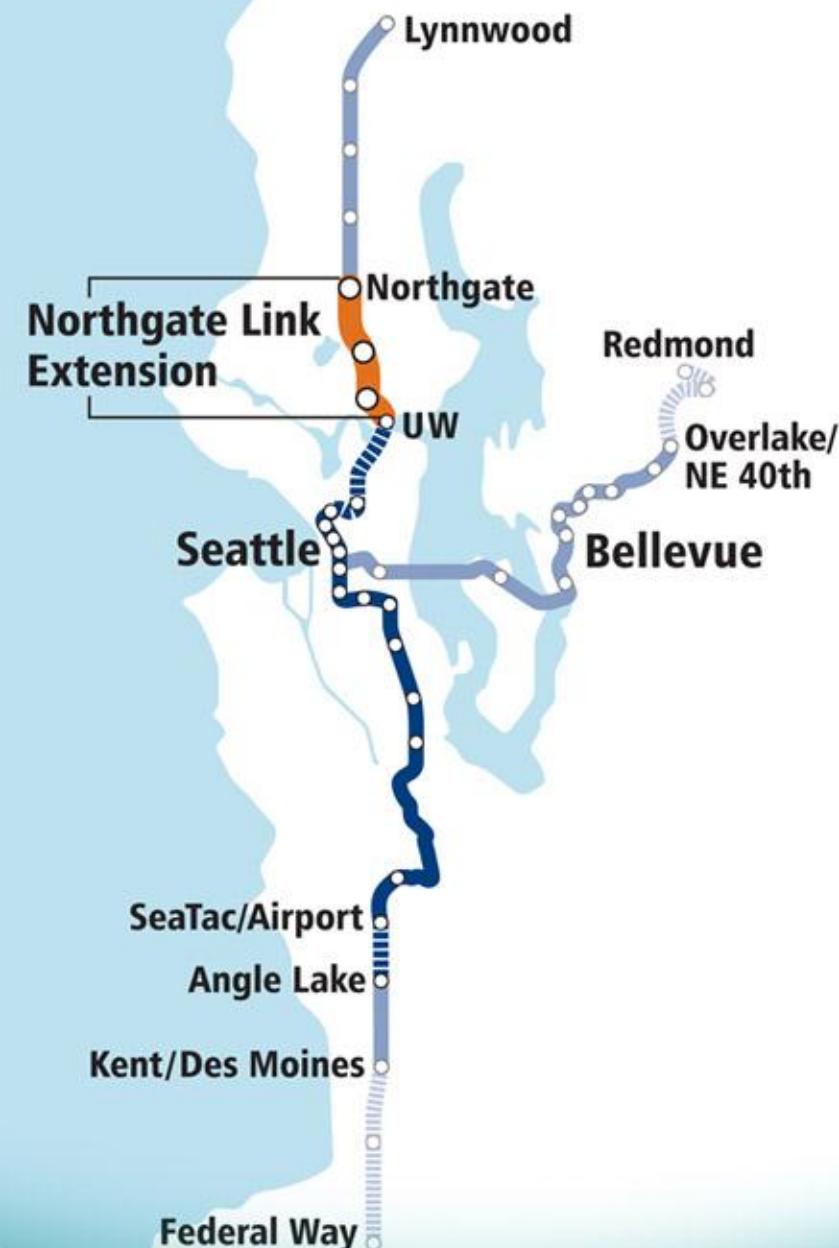




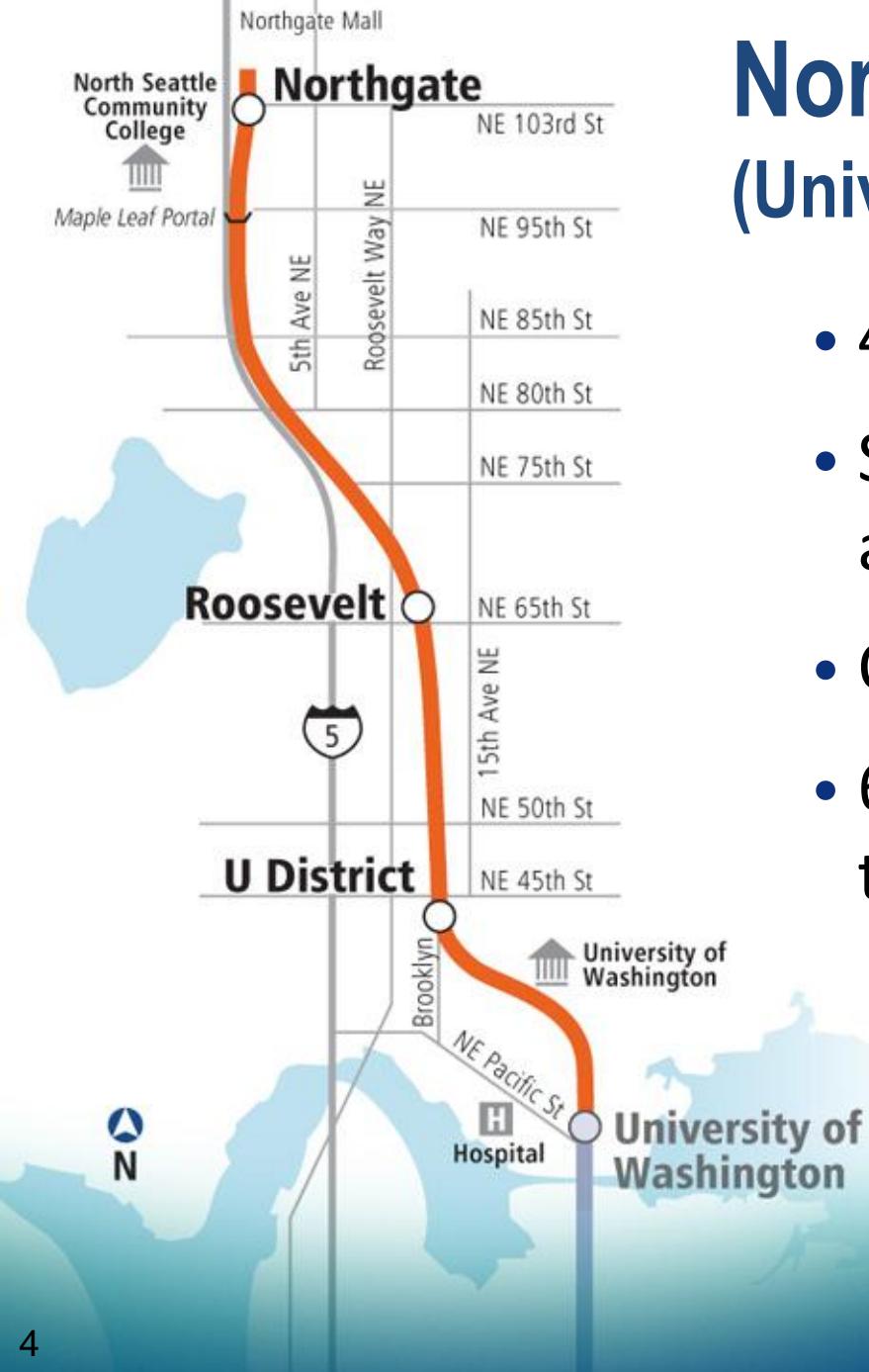
# Tonight's Agenda

- 6:00 pm - Open House
- 6:30 pm - Presentation
  - **Welcome/introductions –** Ron Endlich, Northgate Link Extension Deputy Project Director
  - **Construction update –** Ellen Blair, Community Outreach
  - **Seattle City Light plans–** Stephen Byers, Seattle City Light
  - **Next Steps**
  - **Questions and Answers**
- 7:30 pm - Return to Open House
- 8:00 pm - Close

# Link Light Rail System



- 16 miles of light rail with 13 stations currently in service
- University Link and Angle Lake Station under construction; open 2016
- ST2 Plan funded extensions to Overlake, South King County, and Lynnwood
- 54 mile system



# Northgate Link Extension (University District to Northgate)

- 4.3-mile light rail extension
- Stations: U District, Roosevelt, and Northgate
- Open for Service: 2021
- 62,000 daily boardings added to system by 2030

# Roosevelt Station

## Key Features

- Station platform 70'-90' underground
- Elevators, escalators and stairs at both entrances
- Bicycle parking
- Connections to buses on NE 65<sup>th</sup> St, 12<sup>th</sup> Ave NE and Roosevelt Way NE
- 8,000 daily boardings (2030)



# Roosevelt Station Site Schedule



# Building Demolition and Environmental Clean-Up

## In Progress – Finished Early 2013



# Early Utility Work

Early – Mid 2013

- **Seattle City Light:** upgrade overhead power lines, install new power poles and relocate power lines, remove old poles
- **Comcast:** Relocate lines
- **CenturyLink:** Relocate lines
- **Sound Transit:** rebuild duct banks for underground utility lines
- **Puget Sound Energy:** Relocate gas lines, cut and cap unused gas lines.



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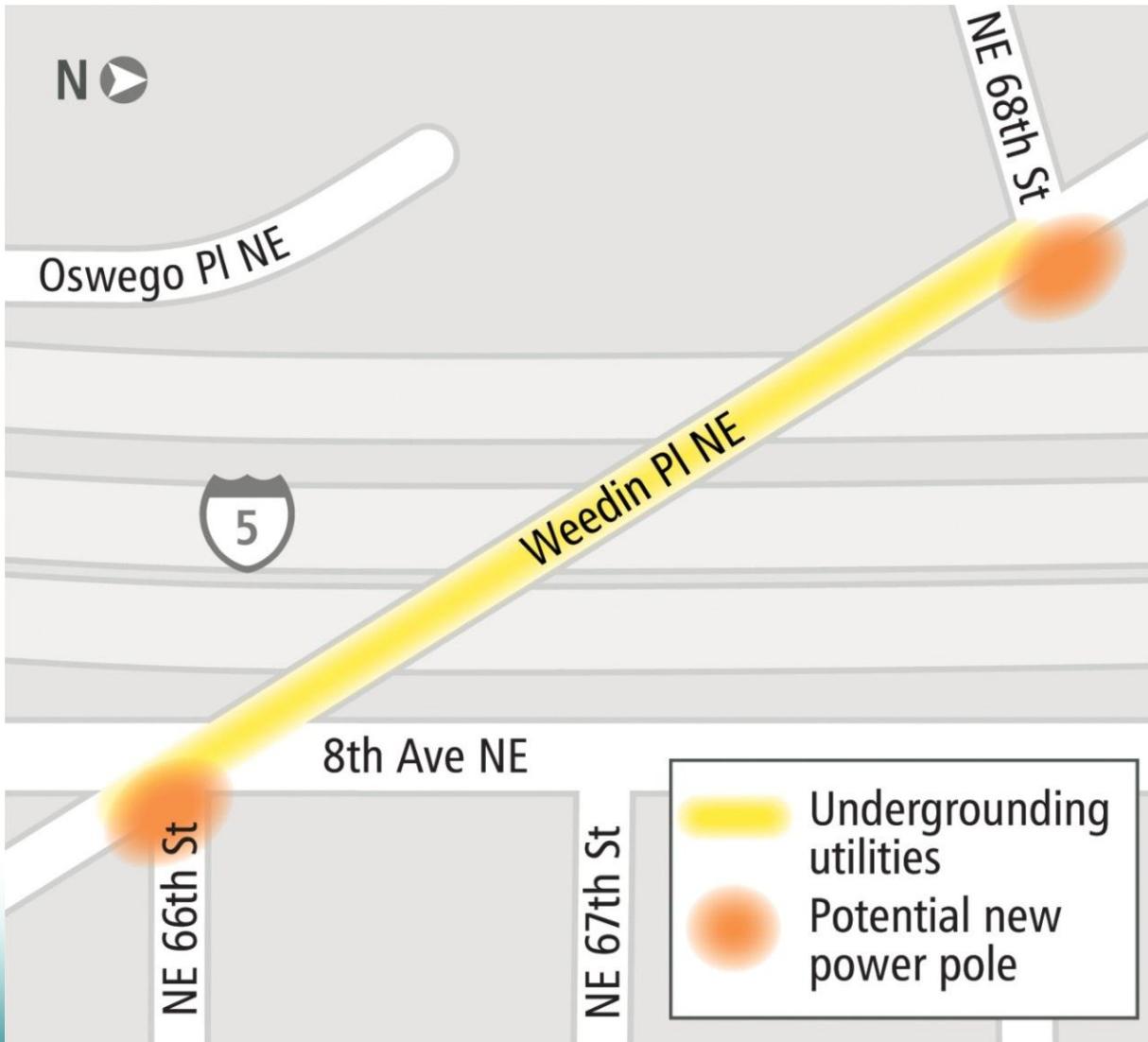
# Overhead Utility Work

## Early - Mid 2013

- Temporary sidewalk, parking, or lane closures
- Utilities will contact customers



# Utility Undergrounding - Weedin Place NE 2014



Your Seattle City Light

- 4 – 6 months of work
- Temporary sidewalk, parking, or lane closures
- Traffic will be maintained

*Install new line*

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Roosevelt Way NE

NE 65th St

NE 66th St

NE 67th St

Roosevelt Station  
Construction Site

*Cut and cap  
unused lines*

12th Ave NE

*Relocate line* →

Roosevelt  
High School

Brooklyn Ave NE

Puget Sound Energy  
gas line work

Station construction  
site

# Gas Line Work

## Early - Mid 2013

- Approximately one month of work
- Temporary sidewalk, parking, or lane closures

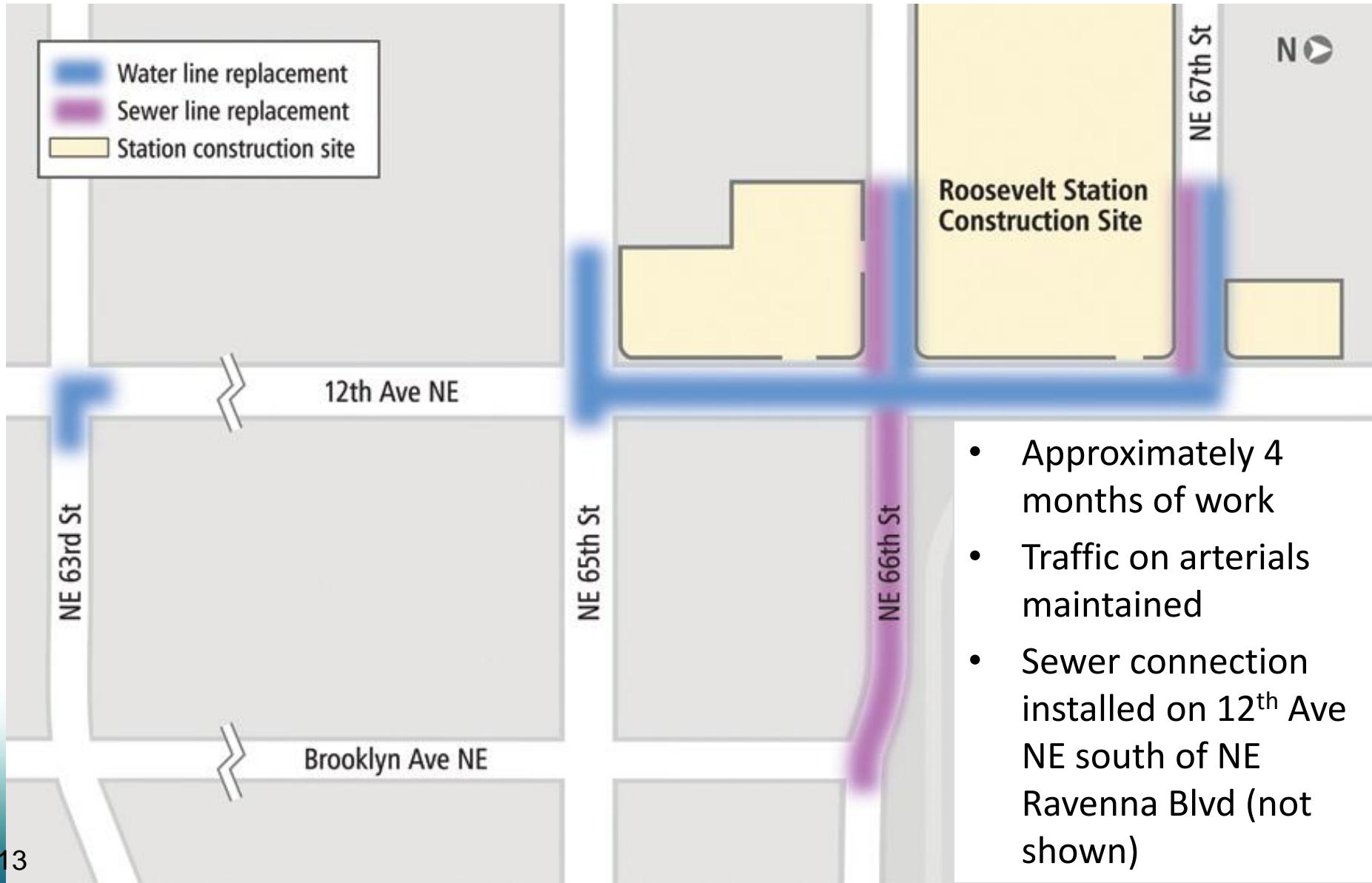
# Service During Early Utility Work

## Early – Mid 2013

- Potential short-term interruption to Comcast service; Comcast will notify affected customers
- Few interruptions to CenturyLink service; CenturyLink to contact potentially affected customers
- Potential short-term interruption of electricity; Seattle City Light will provide notification of any expected outages

# Water & Sewer Line Upgrades/Relocations

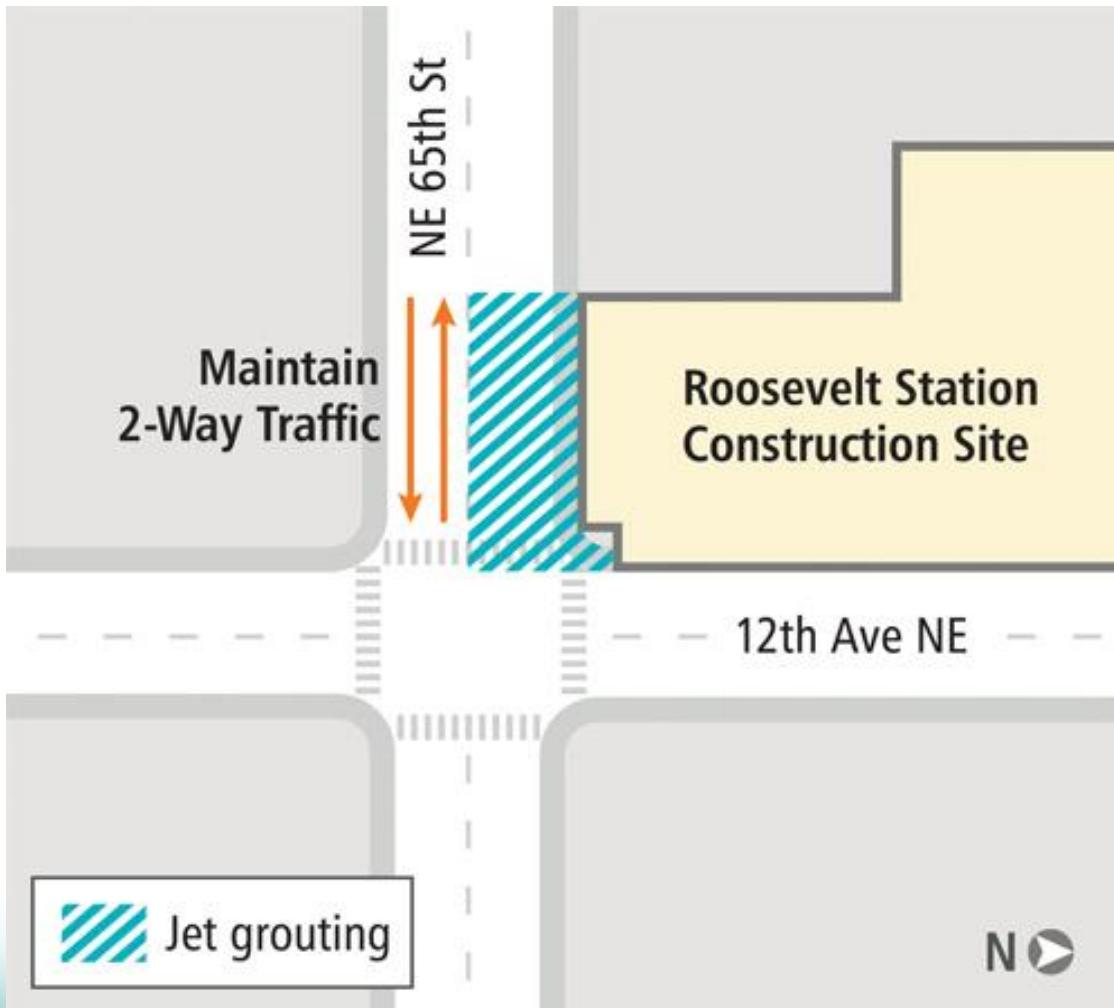
## Late 2013 – Mid 2014



- Approximately 4 months of work
- Traffic on arterials maintained
- Sewer connection installed on 12<sup>th</sup> Ave NE south of NE Ravenna Blvd (not shown)

# Jet Grouting on NE 65<sup>th</sup> St

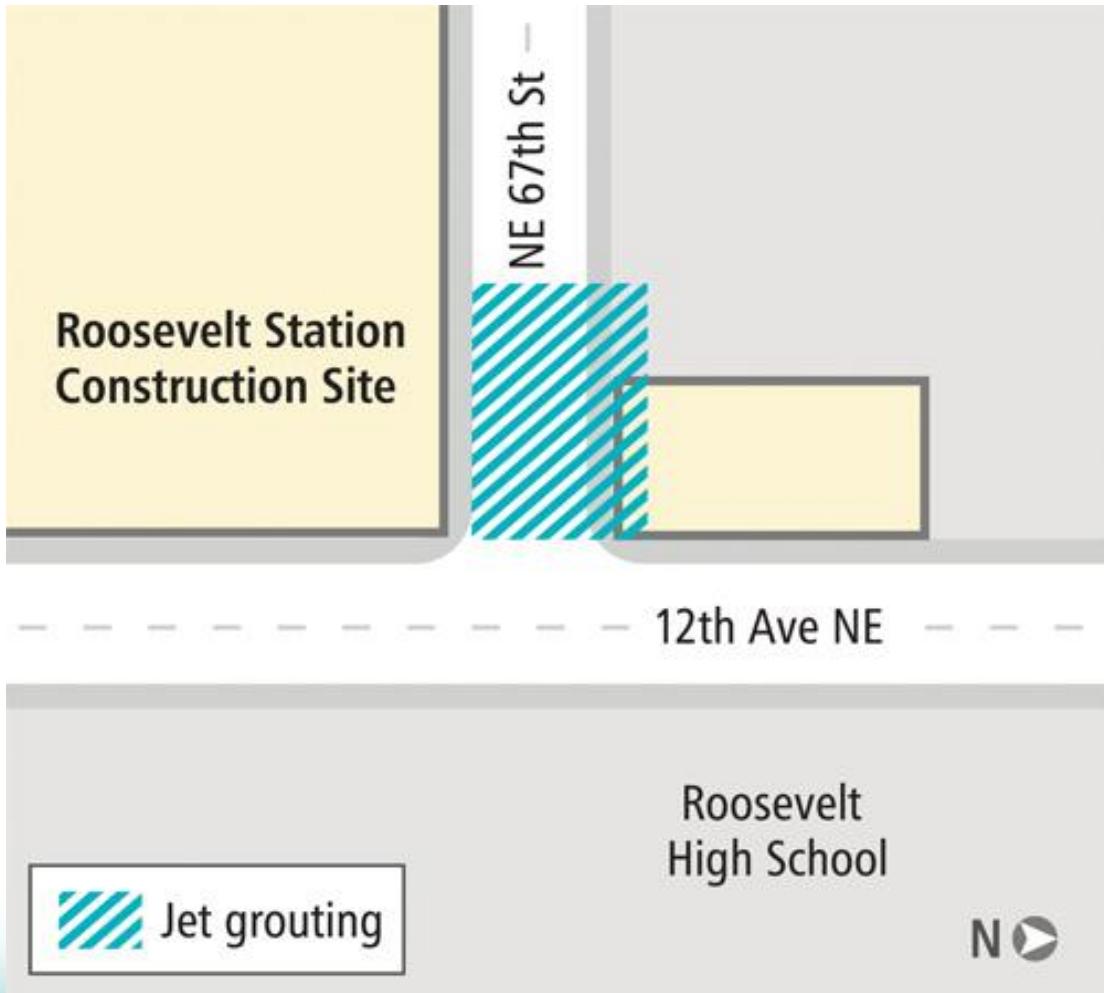
## Starts Late 2013



- Approximately 3 months of work
- Daytime work only
- No parking in this area during this work

# Jet Grouting on NE 67<sup>th</sup> St

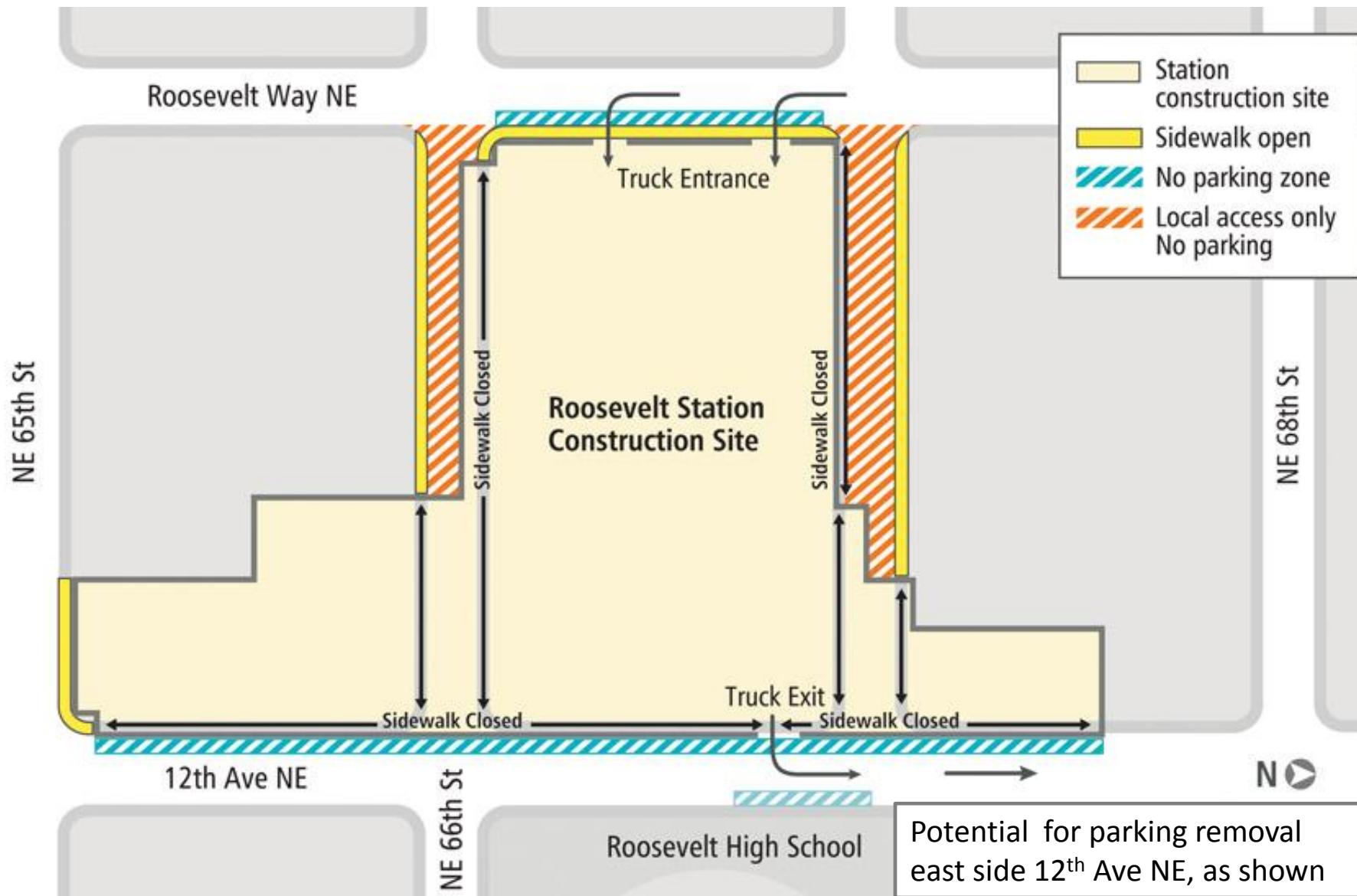
## Starts Early 2014



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# Excavation, Tunneling & Station Construction

## Late 2013 - 2019



# Roosevelt Nighttime Noise Variance Update

- Roosevelt nighttime noise variance would allow nighttime work during station excavation and tunneling
- Noise variance limits would apply 10pm - 7am weekdays, 10pm - 9am weekends, holidays
- City of Seattle issued notice of decision to approve variance in Nov. 2012
- City's decision has been appealed

# Roosevelt Noise Mitigation Update

- If approved, nighttime noise variance contains noise mitigation requirements
- Additional restrictions in Sound Transit's excavation and tunneling contract:
  - No nighttime hauling of “muck” (also known as “spoils”) unless approved by ST
  - No secant pile wall construction past 7 p.m. unless approved by ST



# Reducing Construction Impacts to Our Neighbors

- Communicate and be responsive
- Apply lessons learned to construction contracts
- Maintain an attractive construction wall
- Promote the local business district
- 24-hour construction hotline (888-298-2395)
- ST seeking construction parking near site



# Promote the Roosevelt Business District

- Developed marketing plan with local businesses
  - Install street banners, wayfinding kiosks
  - Research and promote ways to access the business district (parking, bus, bike, ped)
  - Cross-promote community events



# Project Next Steps



- Implement marketing plan for Roosevelt business district
- Station 90% design open house – 2014



# Questions?



# Get Involved and Stay Informed



- Attend Final Design Open Houses
  - Learn more about your neighborhood station's design including bike facilities, pedestrian and bike connections and public art
- Sign Up to Receive Email Updates
  - [www.soundtransit.org/subscribe](http://www.soundtransit.org/subscribe)
- Sound Transit Website
  - [www.soundtransit.org/northlink](http://www.soundtransit.org/northlink)
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